Deferred Action for Undocumented Youth

Deferred Action - A new policy developed by the Dept. of Homeland Security (DHS), designed to allow certain people who did not intentionally violate immigration law to continue to live and work in the United States.

What this means is that certain children who were brought into the United States illegally, who have grown up in America, and did not set out to break immigration laws. Since they are not responsible for what happened when they were young it is unreasonable to punish them. The DHS has decided that it is unnecessary to deport eligible immigrants if they meet certain guidelines.

NOTICE: Your objective should be to fill out the application correctly and not necessarily quickly.

Information received indicates that there will be only one opportunity for you to submit correct and accurate information, so rushing to get it done should not be your primary concern.

What is the process for participation?

In order to receive this benefit, you must:

- · file an application for Deferred Action along with
- an application for employment authorization

If approved, you will be able to work in the United States legally.

Who is eligible for Deferred Action?

In order to be eligible for Deferred Action you must:

- Have entered the United States when you were younger than 16 years of age
- Have been in the United States for five years prior to June 15, 2012 (small trips outside the U.S. for humanitarian reasons won't impact this requirement):
- Be older than age 15 to apply
- Not be older than 30 years of age
- Have either graduated from a high school or equivalent, enrolled in school or are a veteran of the U.S. military
- Submit to a background check and a have clean record without felonies, misdemeanors (other than maybe one or two misdemeanors), or any evidence of you being a threat to the country.

What are the required documents for Filing for Deferred Action?

- To demonstrate that you came to the United States before you were 16, that you have lived in the United States for five years, and that you were in the United States as of June 15, 2012, you will need:
 - 1. Financial records
 - 2. Medical records
 - 3. School records
 - 4. Employment records or
 - 5. Military records

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- To show that you are in school, graduated, in the military, or were honorably discharged you will need one or more of the following:
 - 1. Diploma
 - 2. GED certificate
 - 3. Report Card
 - 4. High-school transcript
 - 5. Report of separation form
 - 6. Military personnel record or
 - 7. Military health record

Start your application

http://www.immigrationdirect.com/deferred-action-DACA/index.html

Website available in Spainish

Qualification quiz free

Immigration Direct Preparation Fee \$99.00

Fees for the application are typically \$465 — \$85 for a background check and \$380 to apply for Employment Authorization Document.

The following are some reliable resources that may be able to provide assistance to you in completing the Deferred Action application.

We encourage all interested students and their families to take the free Qualification Quiz below. This will be a practice activity to prepare for what paperwork and answers you will need to provide in the application.

Qualification Quiz: FREE http://www.immigrationdirect.com/deferredaction/controller.do?interaction=eq

Be extremely careful about getting involved with attorneys or others who make promises of swift action on your behalf for a fee.

Some resources for assistance:

- United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) application support center office for Utah is located at 660 S. 200 East, Suite 400 in Salt Lake City. An appointment is required to see an immigration officer.
- Immigration Workshop: Weber County Library, 2464 Jefferson Ave Ogden, Utah. Saturday, August 25, 2012 starting at 11:00AM. Immigration attorney Silvia Peña Chacón. Free information and individual consultation
- See AILA Utah Chapter Upcoming Deferred Action workshops on the next page.

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Upcoming Events

DATES	HOST	REGISTRATION INFO	LOCATION
Aug 23 5:30 pm (Workshop)	Centro Civico Mexicano	utah.daw.2012@gmail.com	Centro Civico Mexicano 155 South 600 West Salt Lake City, UT 84101
Aug 24 1pm-5pm (Workshop)	Catholic Community Services	N/A	St. George Community Legal Center 229 St. George Blvd St. George , UT 84770
Aug 25 9am-5pm (Workshop)	Catholic Community Services	N/A	St. George Community Legal Center 229 St. George Blvd St. George , UT 84770
Aug 25 6:00 pm (Info session)	Salt Lake Dream Team	N/A	Utah Cultural Celebration Center 1355 W 3100 S West Valley City, UT 84119
Aug 27 6:00 pm (Workshop)	Centro Hispano	(801) 655-0258 info@centrohispanouc.org	Dixon Middle School 750 West 200 North Provo , UT 84601
Aug 30 7:00 pm (Workshop)	Federacion de Mexicanos Unidos en Utah	(435) 849-2360 analamb@gmail.com	LDS Chapel 5107 S 5600 W Kearns, UT 84118
Sept 6 5:30 pm (Info session)	04 Page 201 (19 A)	N/A	Ogden High School 2828 Harrison Blvd Ogden , UT 84403
Sept 8 9:30m (Workshop)	Utah Valley University	TBD	UVU Campus room # TBD
Sept 9 4:30 pm (Workshop)	The Cathedral of the Madeleine	N/A	The Cathedral of the Madeleine 331 East South Temple Salt Lake City, UT 84103
Sept 12 6:00 pm (Workshop)	SLDT/LULAC	(801) 259-8857	Park City Learning Center 2400 Kearns Blvd, Park City , UT 84060

^{*}Upcoming Workshops in Tooele, Timpanogos, Logan, and Wendover*

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